

## CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 021-13 444 CONEJO ROAD MODIFICATIONS APRIL 17, 2013

## APPLICATION OF SALNAUN MASOOMAN, OWNER OF 444 CONEJO ROAD, APN 019-061-029, A-1 (ONE FAMILY RESIDENCE) ZONE, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (MAX. 1 UNIT/ACRE) (MST2011-00309)

The proposed project includes a new approximately 1,614 square foot single-family dwelling and 485 square foot attached garage to replace the 1,614 square foot single-family dwelling and 289 square foot garage destroyed in the 2008 Tea Fire. The project will increase the previous one car garage to a two car garage, resulting in a 485 square foot garage. The project also includes a roof change and window changes within the required front and interior setbacks. A permit has been issued for the rebuild of the dwelling and garage, however, changes to the project require Modifications to allow alterations and additions within the required setbacks. The discretionary applications required for this project are Modifications to allow new construction within the required thirty-five foot (35') front setback and the fifteen foot (15') interior setback (SBMC §28.15.060 and 28.92.110).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities).

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

**WHEREAS**, no one appeared to speak in favor or in opposition thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

- 1. Staff Report with Attachments, April 10, 2013.
- 2. Site Plans

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer approved the subject application making the findings and determinations that the Modifications are consistent with the purposes and intent of the Zoning Ordinance and are necessary to secure an appropriate improvement on the lot. The proposed changes within the required front and interior setbacks allow for the rebuild of a new residence and garage with an improved architectural style on a lot with several development constraints. The project is not anticipated to adversely impact the adjacent neighbors.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2013 by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

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I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.

Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary

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## Date

## PLEASE BE ADVISED:

- 1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
- 2. If the scope of work exceeds the extent described in the Modification request or that which was represented to the Staff Hearing Officer at the public hearing, it may render the Staff Hearing Officer approval null and void.
- 3. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
- 4. Subsequent to the outcome of any appeal action your next administrative step should be to apply for Single Family Design Board (SFDB) approval and then a building permit.
- 5. PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit. The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
- 6. Notice of Approval Time Limits: The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
  - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
  - b. The approved use has been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
    - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
    - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.